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Special themes for the Commission on Population and Development in the years 2001-2003

The Commission on Population and Development:

(a) Reaffirms Commission on Population and Development decision 1999/1[1] in which the Commission decided that "Population, environment and development" should be the special theme for the Commission at its thirty-fourth session in 2001;

(b) Decides that the special theme for the Commission at its thirty-fifth session in 2002 shall be "Reproductive rights and reproductive health, with special reference to human immunodeficiency virus/acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (HIV/AIDS)";

(c) Also decides that the special theme for the Commission at its thirty-sixth session in 2003 shall be "Population education and development";

(d) Requests the United Nations Population Division to give due attention to the impact of human immunodeficiency virus/acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (HIV/AIDS) in the preparation of reports for the forthcoming theme sessions of the Commission on Population and Development for the years 2001-2003.

[1] See *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1999, Supplement No. 5* (E/1999/25), chap. I, sect. C.

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